

SENATOR WARNER: Only this Mr. President. Since this is the first one up, I assume that there may be others. There is no doubt in my mind that if the Governor wants to veto it he is going to get it back here before we adjourn no matter when we pass it, for the simple reason for his own protection he needs to be sure that happens. Secondly, I know that we have got a lot of work to do and if we start moving bills up there are going to be a bunch more of Select File and I guess since there is one that I am interested in, is the first one I would just as soon we didn't get this process started.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Senator Newell.

SENATOR NEWELL: Mr. Speaker, members of the body. I have a question of the Speaker if I could. That question is, will there be an attempt, will there be and I have heard all kinds of discussion on this whether we are going to adjourn and save one day for overrides, will there or will there not be an attempt to do that?

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Well, if we just go straight through, there would be plenty of time to override anything even if the Governor took till midnight for his last day for overrides, it would be sufficient time for overriding anything that was passed yesterday and we could adjourn on Thursday of next week. If there is anything that is passed today, we could still reserve our adjournment sine die on Friday of next week and we could override anything that is passed today. So, there would not be any need for further delay of adjournment sine die if that is all.....

SENATOR NEWELL: How about the big back log of other bills?

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Any bills that would be passed after today... then there would be no opportunity unless we extend our time for overrides.

SENATOR NEWELL: Let me ask it more directly. Is it the intention of the Speaker to set the order in such a way that we will not adjourn for five days to allow for a day of overrides.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: The Speaker's plan is that we either adjourn and I have announced this many times, either Thursday or Friday of next week. Of course, all that I do is propose, this body can delay until the next week if they want to. The Speaker is only proposing.

SENATOR NEWELL: I should just say this then. In that case I think that Senator Labeledz has raised a very good point that we ought to bring this bill up. It is an appropriations bill, it ought to be heard. We ought to have a chance to override it. If we are in fact going to make those decisions that we are going to allow the Governor what in effect would be a pocket veto, in other words you can just hold these things or just let them die, and we have no chance to override then I think that it is only right that we do bring these bills up and I think that Senator Warner's point is concern that he be able to save...that we move right to Select File is a very great concern to me and others. But, I think at the same time